

**Amendments to the Claims**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Previously Presented) A purified anti-allergic royal jelly protein comprising an amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3.

Claims 6-10. (Cancelled)

11. (Previously Presented) A food or beverage, which comprises the anti-allergic royal jelly protein of claim 1.

12. (Previously Presented) A cosmetic, which comprises the anti-allergic royal jelly protein of claim 1.

13. (Previously Presented) A pharmaceutical, which comprises the anti-allergic royal jelly protein of claim 1.

14. (Currently Amended) The A method of claim 6 for treating or preventing allergic diseases, comprising administering to a patient in need thereof an effective amount of anti-allergic royal jelly protein,

wherein said anti-allergic royal jelly protein comprises the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1 at the N-terminus and has a molecular weight of about 70kDa on SDS-

PAGE, or comprises the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:2 at  
the N-terminus and has a molecular weight of about 55kDa on  
SDS-PAGE; and

wherein said royal jelly anti-allergic protein  
comprises the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 3 or 4.